

**CITY OF GUSTAVUS, ALASKA
RESOLUTION 2013-04**

**A Resolution Approving Submission of a Capital Improvement
Project Funding Request for Dedicated Pedestrian/Bicycle Lane
along Gustavus Road between the Gustavus Airport and Good River
Corner**

WHEREAS, The City of Gustavus strives to provide a safe, healthy, and attractive environment for all its residents and visitors; and

WHEREAS, Pedestrians and bicyclists in Gustavus, among them many children on their way to and from school, currently have no option other than to walk or ride on narrow shoulders along Gustavus Road; and

WHEREAS, A dedicated lane will help separate pedestrians and bicyclists from vehicular traffic, which will increase safety; and

WHEREAS, Gustavus residents will have an enhanced and safer opportunity to conduct their normal business or recreation by walking or riding a bicycle; and

WHEREAS, The visitor experience at Gustavus will be enhanced by the opportunity to get around Gustavus by walking or riding a bicycle; and

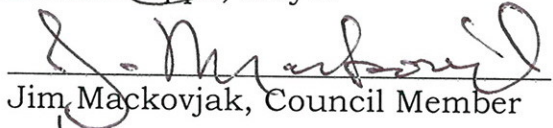
WHEREAS, The dedicated lane will be an avenue to better community health because people of all ages will have an enhanced opportunity to get exercise by walking or riding a bicycle; and

WHEREAS, The construction of a dedicated pedestrian/bicycle lane along Gustavus Road between the Gustavus Airport and Good River corner has the potential, pursuant to ongoing discussions with the National Park Service, to become an important component of a pedestrian/bicycle lane or trail connecting the Gustavus Airport to Bartlett Cove; and therefore be it

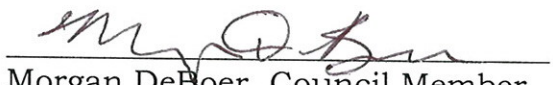
NOW THEREFORE IT BE RESOLVED, That the Gustavus City Council approves the Capital Improvement Project funding request to the 2013 Alaska Legislature in the amount of \$800,000 to construct a dedicated pedestrian/bicycle lane along Gustavus Road between the Gustavus Airport and Good River corner, and urges the Legislature and Governor to consider it favorably.

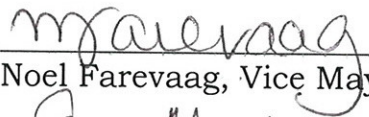
PASSED AND APPROVED by the Gustavus City Council this 10th day of January 2013.

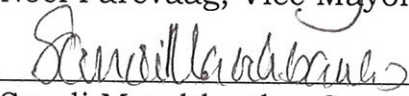

Lou Cacoppe, Mayor


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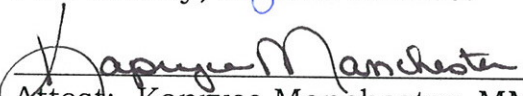
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